2.3. *ORTHOGRAPHY*

The symbols shown in the sound system are proposed as a practical alphabet. Hyphens are useful for showing the construction of compound words, e.g. gra-ča *'cloud'* from gra *'sun'*, ča *'faeces'*.

Rao Sound System

p		t		k				
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b		d		g		i	ɨ	u
	f	s	č			e		o
					h			
	v	z	j				a	
m		n		ŋ				
w		r	y					

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